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THE LEADING BLACKSMITH, BRYAN, TEXAS.

BOERS DEMORALIZED.

Panic and Confusion Prevails in the Transvaal Republic.

WAR ABOUT AT END.

General Roberts Is in One Day's March of Johannesburg—Botha Is Urging Kruger to Arrange for Peace Terms.

London, May 29.—General Roberts is now within one day's march of Johannesburg and General French and Gen. Ian Hamilton fought the Boers from 12 o'clock to 7 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but the result is yet unknown.

H. J. Whigham, who has just returned to Lorenzo Marques from Pretoria, where he went in disguise, in a dispatch to The Daily Mail says: "The demoralization of the Transvaal is remarkable. Panic and confusion prevails everywhere. Everyone is weary with war and full of fear as to the coming of the British. Operations were being carried on for encircling Pretoria with telegraphic communication. Four points in the line of defense were connected with headquarters and with the state's artillery, but this apparently was the only defensive measure adopted. There were no other visible preparations.

"Both President Steyn and President Kruger complain bitterly of General Roberts' unfair tactics in refusing to meet the Boers in positions chosen by them, and in eternally turning them by flank movements.

"Around Johannesburg a few trenches have been dug, but no other steps have been taken for defense. The railway line is blocked with refugees from the west and southwest who are packed like sardines in trucks.

"The government is now endeavoring to reassure the public by telling them that the British will outrage and plunder them, but it is too late. The previous misstatements are bringing their rewards. Food is very scarce and prices rule high. The proposal to release the British prisoners of war is due to this cause.

"Infernal machines are to be laid under the rails of various lines. A pressure of some tons of weight of the engine will cause this to explode with most terrible effect. Many of these machines are being made at the arsenal and great caution will have to be employed in neutralizing them.

"The conduct of United States Consul Hay is remarkably discreet and meets with universal praise alike from Boer and British sympathizers."

A dispatch from Lorenzo Marques says General Louis Botha is urging President Kruger to arrange peace terms. Runaway burghers from Laings Nek passed through Heidelberg last week. The wounded officers and their families are leaving Johannesburg and Pretoria for Lydenburg.

Smith Reaches Lorenzo Marques.

Durban, May 29.—James Smith, the American district messenger boy, who is carrying a message of sympathy from Philadelphia and New York school boys to President Kruger has arrived at Lorenzo Marques and President Kruger has sent his private car to convey him to Pretoria.

Oil Companies Combine.

Toledo, May 29.—The Producers' Oil company and Refiners' company, the United States Pipe Line company and the Pure Oil company have formed a combination under a single head. It will be known hereafter as the Pure Oil company. The new organization, it is understood, is capitalized at \$5,000,000.

San Antonio's School Census.

San Antonio, May 29.—Special School Supervisor of Census Theodore Vincke of this city says that San Antonio's school census would be this year between 10,000 and 11,000. The estimate of Mr. Vincke places San Antonio's population at 75,000, if the old ratio is carried out.

McCurdin Will Withdraw.

Ardmore, I. T., May 29.—It was announced that Governor Green McCurdin has decided to drop out of the race for chief of the Choctaw nation because of illhealth. He is considered one of the most brilliant full-blooded Indians in the five civilized tribes.

Genuine Mexican Bull Weevil.

Alleyton, Tex., May 29.—The genuine Mexican bull weevil has been discovered here the past few days, and appears to exist in large numbers. Farmers are desirous that a means for ridding the plants of this pest be offered them.

Senatorial Convention Deadlock.

Burnet, Tex., May 29.—The senatorial convention met here and organized and after casting 2237 ballots, each being a tie between Hon. W. D. Yett of Burnet and Judge Von Rosenberg, Jr., of Travis, the convention adjourned to meet at Georgetown.

Second Place for Dewey.

New York, May 29.—The Herald's Washington special says: Dewey now believes Bryan will be nominated. He would not decline if the convention at Kansas City nominated him for president.

One Fare Made.

Chicago, May 29.—Railroads in the Central and Western Passenger associations will grant a rate of one fare for the round trip to Kansas City for the National Democratic convention July 4.

NEAR JOHANNESBURG.

Roberts Is Moving Rapidly on That Great Mining Town.

London, May 29.—The tenor of Gen. Roberts' dispatches Monday night and the news from Pretoria leads the authorities here to expect further important news from the British commander-in-chief dated, they hope, from Johannesburg. The remarkable rapidity of Gen. Roberts' movements and the unwonted mobility of the whole British army under him, have upset the calculations of home observers as much as they appear to have concerted and demoralized Roberts' federal opponents. Possibly even now he is at the gates of Johannesburg and it is believed 10 days hence or less, he ought to be demanding admittance to the Transvaal capitol itself.

If rebels ever really intend to "stage humanity" by blowing up the gold reef city and mines, which is doubtful, Roberts may yet be too quick for them and arrive before they have time to do any wrecking. A majority of the burghers will undoubtedly be glad of an excuse for saving the mines and they may find excuse in Roberts' skill in hustling them out of one position after another.

The effectiveness of the British invasion of the Transvaal is further emphasized by news from Pretoria of the occupation of Zerst and the advance on Lichtenburg. Apparently the British dragnet will be drawn through Transvaal as it was in a similar manner hauled through the Free State.

The fighting at Klip river Sunday, reported from Pretoria, was presumably done by Generals French and Hamilton in forcing a way round to the northward of Johannesburg.

The Orange Free State was annexed to the British empire on May 28, according to Cape Town advices, but Roberts seems to have given his army the first intimation of this on the previous day. The name is changed to Orange River State.

SCHLEY STAYS SOUTH.

He Will Remain on the South African Coast for Another Six Months.

Washington, May 29.—Admiral Schley's fleet will remain in South African waters for the next six months at least. The belief that his ships would have to go to Cape Town to be docked or else come home for that purpose soon has been met by an order from the navy department suspending for his fleet the regulation which compels the docking of every vessel once in six months. This period was already overdue for all three ships of the South Atlantic squadron but as there appears to be no particular reason for the Chicago, the Montgomery or the Wilmington to develop great speed at the present time, the urgency of docking is not recognized. It is admitted, however, at the department that in case docking was imperative in the case of one of the vessels she would be brought to the United States for the purpose, in preference to sending her to Cape Town, as it is well known that no American worship would be welcome in British South African waters just now.

Experienced naval officers have been surprised at the deference paid to English wishes in this respect by all the great powers. In every other war of recent years the fleets of neutral powers have swarmed to the vicinity of hostilities. At one time it was feared that the visit of Admiral Schley's fleet to Cape Town might induce other maritime powers to send vessels there, but, according to Admiral Schley's friends, this excuse no longer has any application other than to confine the admiral to South African ports.

ST. LOUIS STRIKE.

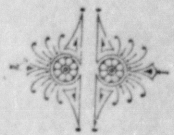
Jeered Motorman and Conductor Shoots into a Crowd Wounding Two.

St. Louis, May 29.—There is very little change in the street railway strike situation here despite the hand the state is taking in the matter. Efforts are being made to arbitrate the differences between the railway officials and their employees, but show no progress towards a settlement.

A car on the Sixth street line was stopped by obstructions at Broadway and Miller streets where a crowd assembled. The nonunion men on the car were jeered, but no violence was shown. This enraged the motorman and conductor, who drew their revolvers and fired about 25 shots into the crowd.

William Breeman, who was standing at the corner a block away was shot in the knee and probably will lose a leg.

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A. T. CLARK.

Dolly Mitchell, a little girl, was hit in the wrist while standing in her yard near the scene of the shooting. The motorman and conductor were arrested.

Right of Way Secured.

Velasco, Tex., May 29.—The Cane Belt railroad closed its negotiations for right of way and terminal facilities with Quintana. By the terms of the contract the Cane Belt secures depot grounds, 2000 feet of river front and 100 city lots. The Cane Belt agrees to build 1000 feet of wharf and build a roundhouse and machine shops at Quintana. It is expected that the road will be completed to Quintana by the beginning of next summer.

Noted Minister Dead.

New York, May 29.—Rev. Dr. John Scudder, of the Dutch Reformed church's Arcot mission in India, died at Kodai Kanai, in that country. He was 64 years old and for 39 years had been connected with the Arcot mission. He had come to be an authority on matters pertaining to India and its people.

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Remember our shop is located back of Myers' hardware store. 5-22

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UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS, Louisville, Ky., May 30th to June 3rd.

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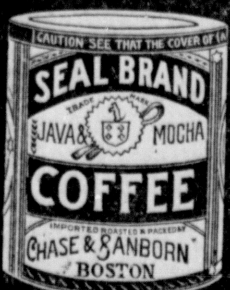
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For State Senator, Twelfth senatorial district:

J. R. ASTIN.

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For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

DR. J. L. FOUNTAIN.

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For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

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VETERANS GATHERING.

They Are Arriving at Louisville upon
Every Train for Reunion

Louisville, May 29.—All incoming trains are bringing large numbers of visitors from outside cities. The number of veterans and visitors now here are estimate at 13,000.

Local managers may change the time of the parade. They have found to hold the parade in the afternoon will greatly upset some of their arrangements and may in some respects interfere with the success of the parade. This is particularly true of the mounted division of the parade. It is expected there will be in this division at least 2000 mounted men and many of them have arranged for mounts and if the parade goes over until the afternoon the mounted division will be reduced by at least one-half.

The fight for the reunion of 1901 is waxing warm and promises to become a sharp struggle before it is settled. Buffalo, N. Y., has a strong delegation on the ground, and its members are work-hard and express themselves as confident they will secure the convention for the next reunion.

The strongest rivals of Buffalo are Jacksonville, New Orleans, Cincinnati, and Memphis, making five cities all anxious for the honor. All the delegations say they have a sure thing and do not see how they can lose.

Texas is already well represented. Colonel Alvin Steel of Dallas, acting adjutant general on the staff of General Cabell, commanding the Transmississippi department, is the advance guard of a distinguished party that arrived, numbering among its members General W. L. Cabell, General A. L. Watts, Colonel W. H. Gaston, Mrs. Kate Cabell Currie, formerly president of the Daughters of the Confederacy; Miss Mae Jones, sponsor for the Texas division of the Sons of the Confederate Veterans; Miss Bessie Wathen, sponsor for the Sterling Price camp of Dallas, Tex., and many other ladies of the Lone Star state.

The fifth annual reunion of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans will be called to order at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning by General W. T. Colquitt, commander-in-chief of the organization. The address of welcome will be delivered by Biscoe Hindman. There will be about 2000 sons in attendance at this reunion and 500 delegates.

DAMPER ON EXHIBITS.

No American Livestock or Dressed Meats
Will Be at the Paris Exposition.

Washington, May 29.—Our exhibits at the Paris exposition will be less complete and interesting as well as less valuable in respect to the extension of the demand for American products in France than would have been the case if so many obstacles had not been placed in the way by the French authorities. This refers especially to the proposed exhibits of American live cattle and also of dressed meats.

It is learned from good authority that after every preparation had been made for a large and important exhibition of live cattle, the application to install it was either refused outright or the approval of it was saddled with so many onerous conditions and restrictions that the exhibit had to be abandoned. This was a severe disappointment to the American cattle industry, as well as to the official representatives of the United States in Paris, who strove earnestly but in vain to overcome the obstacles thrown in their way by the French authorities, and so that feature of the proposed exhibit of the United States had to be abandoned. Such was the fate of the proposed exhibit of American dressed meat and meat products.

The United States government officials also made elaborate and expensive preparations for an imposing exhibit of American fruits and dairy and meat products. An elaborate and costly refrigerating plant, with all necessary apparatus and appliances, was installed and it was not foreseen that obstacles would be placed in the way of such an exhibit until the French authorities began to interpose objections and suggest and impose hard conditions which it may be found impracticable fully to meet.

One of the conditions for example was that fresh dressed beef, etc., should be exhibited only in the form of whole carcasses, containing the heart, liver and other internal organs of each animal. Inasmuch as the exhibits were not to be sold or consumed in France without the consent of the authorities, and as no such condition had been foreseen and expected it at first seemed to be one which could not possibly be complied with, but it is understood that efforts are being made by the United States officials to do so and with some prospect of success.

Dam Blown Up.

Bemidji, Minn., May 29.—The Scanlon and Gypson dam recently built across the Mississippi river at the outlet of Lake Bemidji was blown out by a body of indignant citizens. It was constructed without any fishway and without an act of congress. The backwater from the dam flooded the cellars of many of the business houses. The board of health had formally condemned the dam.

Revolutionary Leader Captured.

Caracas, May 29.—General Jose M. Hernandez, the revolutionary leader, has been captured by government troops. The revolution is now considered ended.

Catholic Majority Reduced.

Brussels, May 29.—The general elections have resulted in a reduction of the Catholic majority from 102 to 85. The Socialists are gainers by the change.

Jones Won His Case.

Two men went before a justice of the peace in Buchanan county last week, each complaining that the other had disturbed his peace, relates the St. Joe News: They had engaged in a fight, in fact. Smith swore out a warrant for Jones, and had him arrested. When Jones heard of it, he went and secured a warrant for Smith, from the same justice of the peace, charging him with disturbing the peace, just as he was charged. They were arrested about the same time, and Smith pleaded guilty. Jones said he wanted a trial, and it was granted. "Have you a lawyer?" asked the justice. "I don't need a lawyer," replied Jones. "I will try my own case." Before he went into the trial, however, Jones filed a motion to quash, on the ground that Smith was not in possession of any peace when the difficulty took place. He argued the motion, and told the justice that Smith had pleaded guilty—had admitted, in fact, that he was not within the bounds of peace when the fight took place. In other words, he contended that it was impossible to disturb the peace of a man who was engaged in a fight at the time. Smith was in the act of breaking the law, he said, and it could not be that his peace had been disturbed. "That looks reasonable," said the justice, and he sustained the motion.

The Franking Privilege.

Congress used to have a nice way of conferring the franking privilege to show its appreciation of a man or woman, recalls Victor Smith. A resolution was passed in 1797 that all letters to George Washington should be received and conveyed by post during his life free of charge. In 1801 the privilege of franking was given to John Adams, and in 1828 to Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, the only surviving signer of the Declaration of Independence. The same honor was conferred on Dolly Madison for life, and afterward on the widows of President William Henry Harrison and Abraham Lincoln. In 1873 the privilege was abolished, except for public documents in congress, etc., and departmental matter.

Mr. Depew's Salary.

I asked a New York Central railroad man the other day, gossips a Gotham writer, if he knew what salary is paid to Senator Depew, chairman of the board. He answered promptly, "Sixty thousand dollars a year." Before he retired from the presidency in favor of Mr. Callaway it was generally understood that he received \$50,000. "He wanted to be president of the United States," said my acquaintance, "and was ready to accept the nomination in Harrison's year, but Cornelius Vanderbilt said that if he would drop the bee he would raise his salary to \$60,000, which was \$10,000 more than the president of the United States gets. You know the result."

A Rug of Many Pieces.

A Washington man has on his dining room floor a remarkable rug. It is composed of 225 pieces so artistically sewn together that no seam is visible. It seems that there is a certain wild sheep in Brazil whose general color is solid brown, with the exception of a small spot, snow white, about four inches square, on its breast. The rug in question is made of these white spots, and 225 sheep were killed to provide them.

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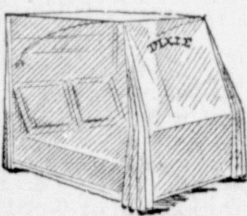
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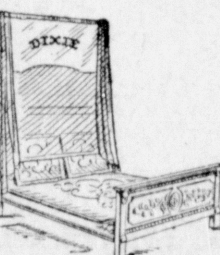
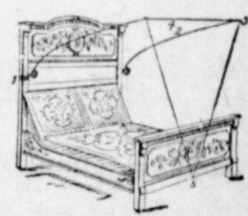
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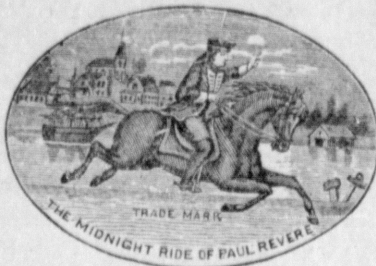
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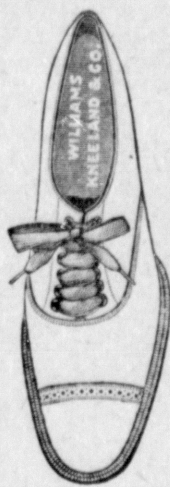
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Boulds Joannah	Cook Samuel
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SECRET UNDERSTANDING.

Wellington Charges Such Exists Between This Country and England.

Washington, May 29.—In the course of a speech in favor of the adoption of a resolution expressing the senate's sympathy for the Boers yesterday, Mr. Wellington of Maryland referred to a secret understanding existing between United States and Great Britain. When Mr. Lodge demanded proof that such an understanding existed, Mr. Wellington said that in the circumstances it was difficult to present tangible proof, but he believed the proof could be found in the secret archives of the state department.

Mr. Lodge replied that under our form of government no such understanding could exist, and as secretary of state had emphatically denied the existence of any alliance or understanding he believed the country would accept his statement as true.

The reading of the sundry civil appropriation bill was completed, but not all of the committee amendments have been disposed of.

A lively debate was precipitated over the proposition to continue the life of the industrial commission until Oct. 31, 1901. Charges were made that the commission was being used as a Republican machine and that important testimony had been suppressed. The committee amendment however, was agreed to.

The house had a dull day considering the near approach of final adjournment. The Alaskan civil government bill was passed and some odds ends of legislation were cleared up. Mr. Dalzell gave notice that the antitrust resolution and bill, reported by the judiciary committee, would be considered Wednesday, Thursday and Friday under a special rule.

Reduction Asked.

Washington, May 29.—The secretary of state has sent to congress the resolutions of the chamber of commerce at San Juan, Puerto Rico, asking congress to reduce the tariff on rice from \$2 per hundred weight to 50 cents per hundred weight until Jan. 1, 1902, and the duty on olive oil from 50 cents to 10 cents per gallon until the same date.

Boer Resolution Referred.

Washington, May 29.—The Teller resolution of sympathy with Boers referred to the committee on foreign relations by a vote of 40 to 26.

Bill to Sell Choctaw Lands.

Washington, May 29.—In the senate Mr. Jones of Arkansas reported the house bill authorizing the commissioner general of the land office to dispose of the Choctaw Indian Orphan lands in Mississippi, and it was passed.

Louisiana Purchase Donation.

Washington, May 29.—The senate committee on appropriations agreed to Senator Cockrell's amendment to the civil bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for the Louisiana Purchase exposition in 1903.

Amendment Modified.

Washington, May 29.—The senate agreed to a modified amendment of the sundry civil appropriation bill relating to Chinese immigration which direct the enforcement of exclusion laws should they be under the control of the secretary of the treasury.

Walnut Log for Paris.

Denison, Tex., May 29.—A walnut log 47 inches in diameter, which was cut in the Osage country, is being rafted down the Arkansas river to Tulsa, I. T., where it will be shipped by rail to New York, thence to the Paris exposition. The log struck a sandbar about a mile north of Tulsa bridge, and it will be a difficult task to dislodge it until the next rise in the river. The ferryboat went up to bring the log down, but was unable to get it away.

Negligence Is Charged.

Belton, Tex., May 29.—Suit has been instituted in the district court here by Mrs. Elizabeth McCormick et al. vs. B. Lantry Sons, for the alleged negligent killing of her husband on March 2, 1900. Plaintiff alleges that by reason of a defective guy rope, which broke, a large derrick fell and instantly killed Jerry McCormick. She sues for \$35,000 damages. The accident occurred at the rock quarry three miles west of here.

Baby Drank Coaloil.

Granger, Tex., May 29.—While Mrs. John Wade, living on the John Young farm, five miles east of town, was preparing a late dinner for some visitors, her 16-months-old girl got hold of the coaloil can, which they kept in the kitchen for starting a fire. She drank an unknown quantity, from the efforts of which she began to have spasms and died in a few hours.

Texas Lumber for Europe.

Sabine, Tex., May 29.—The bark Sihvah cleared for Hamburg with 884,679 feet of pitch pine lumber shipped by the Texas Tram and Lumber company and 23,872 feet of sawn timber shipped by the Sabine Export company, the value of the cargo being \$14,431. There are now in port here four barks and one barkentine, all taking lumber cargoes for foreign points.

Colorado Quarantines.

Denver, May 29.—The state board of health has decided to quarantine against the entrance of Chinese and Japanese into Colorado.

Lost Planet Found.

Denver, May 28.—While watching the eclipse Prof. Howe rediscovered the planet Eros, lost two years ago.

Supreme Court Adjourns.

Washington, May 29.—The United States supreme court has adjourned and will not sit until next October.

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CHINA IN A BAD FIX.

Trouble With "Boxers" Becoming
Serious in That Empire.

WARSHIPS NEEDED.

Russia and England Asked That All
Available Gunboats Be Sent to
the Scene—Russia Ready
to Land Troops.

London, May 29.—Special dispatch says it is believed Russia is about to land troops at Taku from Port Arthur where 20,000 men are in readiness.

The Chinese are reported to be sending large masses of troops overland from Hu Nan and Kiang, but the generalissimo refuses to assume command on the plea of sickness.

The "boxers" assert they are confident of receiving the support from the Dowager Empress, Princess Kang Yi and Ching Tuan and the entire Manchurian army. Throughout the south the "boxers" are enlisting hordes of desperadoes. They are intent upon expelling everything foreign.

Russian Gunboats Telegraphed For.

Shanghai, May 29.—The Russian minister at Peking has telegraphed asking that all available gunboats be sent to Taku.

KEMPFF AT TAKU.

He Will Protect American Missionaries
and American Interests.

Washington, May 29.—Should the Boxer movement in China threaten American missionaries and American interests adequate measures will be taken to provide them with protection.

Rear Admiral Kempff, commanding the senior squadron of the Asiatic fleet, which according to an order just issued "will comprise all vessels north of Hong Kong," arrived at Taku yesterday on board the cruiser Newark. He will at once communicate with United States Minister Conger and arrange with him to take such precautions as may seem advisable. Admiral Kempff may send a marine guard to Peking. The authorities are in a very awkward position with respect to landing troops in China. It is not desired to take any such action, for one reason because Americans are distributed at widely separated points and for another reason because the entrance of the Americans would be followed by a similar action on the part of the powers of Europe.

FRENCH PRIESTS BLAMED.

Professor Headland Gives This as His
View of the "Boxer" Trouble.

New York, May 29.—In discussing the "boxer" movement, the Rev. Isaac Taylor Headland, professor in the University of Peking, who left Peking on March 7 and is now in New York, takes a somewhat peculiar view of its origin. He said:

"The French Catholic priests are the cause of the trouble. The French minister in China had the Catholic priests made Chinese officials of defined rank, whose business it is to decide cases of litigation between Chinese Christians and outside Chinese. When a Catholic priest enters a Chinese court if he outranks the Chinese official he decides the matter. If he under-ranks him the influence of his official rank amounts to about the same thing.

"It is apparent to the authorities that Russia does not propose to be behind hand in any move looking to the dismemberment of the empire, and it would not be surprising if some day the world should wake up to find that Russia had quietly annexed northern China. Such action would probably be precipitated by the landing of foreign troops which would be made the excuse for it. It is known here that Russia did not join with the other powers of Europe in making representations to the Peking government with respect to the 'boxer' movement basing her refusal on the fact she is an Asiatic power. The natural result of her refusal has been to increase her influence at Peking.

"The Chinese charge that the priests procure decisions in favor of the French Catholics through their influence, irrespectively of the merits of the case. This has been going on for a long time and the irritation caused by it has resulted at last in the Chinese forming the secret societies called 'boxers.'"

"This in Chinese is 'I Ho Tuon,' 'I' meaning righteousness, the 'Ho' standing for peace, 'Tuon' meaning a fist, which the professor illustrated with clenched hands."

Farmers' Congress.

Houston, Tex., May 29.—There will be a meeting of the executive committee of the Farmers' Congress tomorrow to formulate a programme for the meeting of the congress which will be held at the State Agricultural and Mechanical college in July. Strenuous efforts are being made to get up a creditable exhibit representing every section of the state. The railroads are lending valuable assistance in the matter of collecting exhibits and also have promised reduced rates for the meeting.

Was a Tie Vote.

Washington, May 29.—The effort made in the judiciary committee of the house to take up the Gaynor legislation proposed by the attorney general to secure the removal of Messrs. Gaynor from New York to Georgia, but proved unsuccessful on a tie vote.

CITY TAKES CHARGE.

Quarantines Chinatown after United
States Court Restrains Them.

San Francisco, May 29.—The plague situation assumed a new phase Monday night which will probably result in the quarantining of the Chinese section of the city.

The quarantining of Chinatown was not called forth by any unfavorable developments, but it was due to the necessity of providing for the better control of the situation in view of the fact that the United States circuit court yesterday issued an order restraining the board of health and Dr. Kinyoun, the United States surgeon, from inoculating Chinese and Japanese.

When the decision of the court was rendered, Surgeon Kinyoun called off his inspection and notified Surgeon General Wyman of the court's action.

The state board then took the matter in hand. At a meeting of that body a resolution was passed instructing the local board of health to place an effective quarantine around Chinatown. At the meeting of the state board representative merchants of the city were present and they announced they would render every assistance to the city authorities.

Dr. Blunt, state health officer of Texas, who was also present, favored quarantining the Chinese quarter and stated that if such action was taken he would modify the quarantine against California, now existing in Texas, and allow goods and persons to enter the state if they carried a certificate of health.

The local board of health does not expect Federal interference in the matter of forcing a quarantine as they regard it as a purely municipal affair.

CAN HAVE THEIR MAIL.

Injunction Staying a Postoffice Ruling
Against School of Magnetic Healing.

Kansas City, May 29.—A peculiar situation was created here when the United States district court issued an injunction staying an order of the postmaster general. It was in the case of Stephen A. Weltner and Joseph H. Kelly, proprietors of the school of magnetic healing at Nevada, Mo., who were recently indicted for using the mails for the purpose of fraud and whose mail has been held up on the order of the postmaster general.

The attorneys for Weltner and Kelly went immediately to Washington to have the embargo removed from their client's mail but were not successful. The lawyers then appealed to the United States courts. The postmaster at Nevada had orders to return the mail under embargo to the senders, if possible, and when the sender's name was not on the envelope, to the dead letter office. Before these orders could be obeyed an injunction was secured from Judge Amos Thayer in the United States court of appeals restraining the Nevada postmaster from obeying the order of the postmaster general. The injunction is returnable June 2 in St. Louis.

To Test the Fey Law.

Waxahachie, Tex., May 29.—Suit was brought in the district court here to test the clause in the late fee bill relating to the excess fees over the maximum amounts allowed. The ex-county clerk and county attorney are the principal defendants. The same question was decided by the San Antonio court of appeals in favor of the officers, but the commissioners court here is not willing to accept that decision as the law.

Survey Completed.

El Paso, Tex., May 29.—The survey of the El Paso extension of the Pecos Valley route from Roswell, N. M. to this city, has been completed. The construction work will begin at once. It is the general opinion that the Rock Island will absorb the new line in order to get into Mexico via this point.

Pleaded Guilty to Murder.

Guthrie, O. T., May 29.—William Armistead, who shot and killed City Marshal Boyd at Langston 10 days ago because the marshal disarmed him when he attempted to shoot another man, with whom he had quarrelled over a chicken, pleaded guilty of murder and was sent to the penitentiary for life.

Nearing Completion.

Waskom, Tex., May 29.—The extension of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad from Jefferson to Shreveport is nearing completion. The grading is finished, and steel has been laid 20 miles. The contract has been let for a depot here. The cars are expected to be running by the June 15.

For Highway Robbery.

Flaton, Tex., May 29.—The city marshal arrested eight negroes here charged with highway robbery. A crowd of negroes met a restaurant keeper and robbed him of \$4. An attempt was made to hold up two Mexicans, but as the Mexicans made a fight they escaped the negroes.

Shooting at Terrell.

Terrell, Tex., May 29.—Winice Ellison was shot here in the groin and also wounded in two fingers of his left hand. Letcher Fields, a negro, has been placed under arrest by Constable Wimberly on a warrant charging assault to murder.

Boxers Extending Their Raids.

Shanghai, May 29.—Trouble arising from the defeat of the government troops by the "boxers" have extended to Iuhai, where the work on the railway was almost completely destroyed. Five hundred refugees have sought protection in the French cathedral at Peking.

Rumored French Enters Johannesburg.

Cape Town, May 29.—It is rumored here that General French has entered Johannesburg.

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